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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Official Action dated August 7, 2002, please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

## In the Claims:

Please rewrite claim 1 as follows:

(Twice Amended) A hanger for use with a bag that contains 1. merchandise for display, said bag having an upper edge from which the bag is supported by the hanger, said hanger comprising:

a card body having at least one recess, said card body defining one side with a portion of said one side defining a fastening surface that is recessed from the rest of said one side;